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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed 4 April 2006. Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below, which include, in order of appearance, beginning on separate sheets:

- Amendments to the Specification; and
- · Remarks.